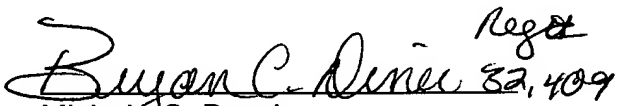


To the extent any extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is required to obtain entry of this Amendment, such extension is hereby requested. If there are any fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or 1.17 which are not enclosed, including any fees required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, please charge those fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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